



# Gulfport-Biloxi International Airport

June 8, 2015

The Honorable Steven Palazzo  
United States House of Representatives  
331 Cannon House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Representative Palazzo:

The Gulfport- Biloxi Regional Airport Authority would like to express its interest in the Trade Promotion Authority legislation. Trade Promotion Authority sends a signal to foreign partners of congressional support for Free Trade Agreements. This is particularly important when negotiating new issues that impact U.S. global competitiveness. Trade Promotion Authority gives the President negotiating power by ensuring those who may enter into an agreement with the US that any proposed agreement is a definitive and final offer.

However, we encourage you and other members of Congress to set strict prescriptive objectives and parameters in the legislation that help to both increase and protect American jobs and workers while enhancing the US global competitive position.

Again, thank you for your strong support of South Mississippi trade interests.

Sincerely,

GULFPORT-BILOXI REGIONAL  
AIRPORT AUTHORITY

Clay Williams  
Executive Director